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EARLY NOTICE AND PUBLIC REVIEW OF A PROPOSED ACTIVITY IN A 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN

January 16, 2015

To: All Interested Agencies, Groups & Individuals

This is to give notice that the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) on behalf of the Responsible Entity, the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs (NJDCA), has determined that the Neighborhood and Community Revifalization (NCR) program is located in the 100-year floodploin, and NJDEP will be identifying and evaluating practicable alternatives to incating the actions in the floodplain and the potential impacts on the floodplain from the proposed action, as required by Executive Order 11988, in accordance with HUD regulations at 24 CFR 55.20 Subpart C Procedures for Moking Deferminations on Floodplain Management and Protection of Wetlands. The Neighborhood and Community Revitalization program funds projects that contribute to economic revitalization throughout New Jersey. These projects are commercial or mixed use projects, typically development and public improvement or streetscape revitalization.

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NCR40182: The proposal includes streetscape Improvements along Brigontine Avenue from 8th Street South to 14th Street South to 14th Street South to 14th Street South for Street South to 15th Street South Street South Street Street Installing street lighting, landscaping and street furniture, as well as Install handlcapped ramps that meet Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards at roadway intersections. Access to local NJ Transif bus stops will also be improved. The project is located along West Brigantine Avenue, from 8th Street South to 14th Street South, Brigantine, New Jersey. The property is located within the AE (Base Flood Elevations determined) Flood Zone, as indicated on Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Panel 2 of 3 no. 3452860002D, revised July 15, 1992.

There are three primary purposes for this notice. First, people who may be offected by activities in floodpidins and those who have an interest in the protection of the natural environment should be given an apportunity to express their concerns and provide information about these areas. Second, an adequate public notice program can be an important public education tool. Commenters are encouraged to after alternative methods to serve the same project purpose, and methods to minimize and militage impacts. The dissemination of information and request for public comment about floodplains can facilitate and enhance Federal efforts to reduce the risks associated with the occupancy and modification of these special areas. Third, as a matter of talmess, when the Federal government determines it will participate in actions tooking place in floodplains, if must inform those who may be put at greater or continued risk.

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Writhen comments must be received by NJDCA on or before January 30, 2015. NJDCA encourages electronic submitted or comments of http://www.nj.gov/dca/ sandyrecovery/review/. In the submitted on paper to: Stacy be submitted on paper for Stacy Bonnardfons, Cammissioner, Sandy Recovery Division, New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, 101 South Broad Street, PO Box 800, Trenton, NJ 08625-0800. The Notice can be seven and the NJDCA during the hours of 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Further information can be found on the DCA web site of http://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/sandyrecovery/review/.

Bob Martin, Commissioner, NJDEP Printer Fee: \$60.18 #0090880596 Pub Date: January 16, 2015